

State of South Carolina

Governor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, across our state and nation, more than 3 million professional truck drivers deliver the goods that keep our economy going and growing; and

WHEREAS, these hard working men and women help keep our stores and supermarkets stocked with food, clothing and other items, deliver blood medicine, and diagnostic equipment to hospitals and clinics, and ensure that raw materials and intermediate products for consumer goods are delivered to the assembly line safely; and

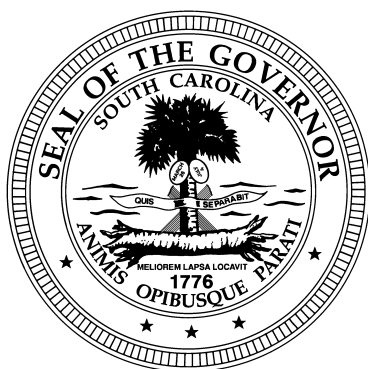
WHEREAS, professional truck drivers are among the safest drivers on our highways and many have received awards for extraordinary acts of heroism and bravery in saving fellow motorists from injury and death; and

WHEREAS, professional truck drivers serve our communities, schools and businesses with dedication each day.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mark Sanford, Governor of the Great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim August 20 - 26, 2006, as

TRUCK DRIVER APPRECIATION WEEK

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to recognize professional truck drivers for their many contributions to the quality of life of the residents of the Palmetto State and to our continued economic growth and development.

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "Mark Sanford".

MARK SANFORD
GOVERNOR
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA